# **TENNderCARE Additional Training**

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# **TENNderCare**

On your mark!

Get set!



Pass this quiz!



# TENNESSEE'S EPSDT PROGRAM



# **TENNderCare**

Good health begins at birth. It is important to do three things:

✓ Check In!

Check Up!

**Check Back!** 

### **TENNderCare Mission**

TENNderCare is the name for Tennessee's EPSDT Program. Tennessee has made a commitment to promoting good health in children from birth until age 21. It's called the TENNderCare Program. TENNderCare is a full program of check ups and health care services for children who have TennCare. These services make sure babies, children, teens, and young adults receive the health care they need. Good health begins at birth, so it's important to Check In, Check Up, and Check Back with your doctor.

# TENNderCare's Importance:

#### A child's check up will include:

- ✓ Health History
- ✓ Complete Physical Exam
- ✓ Lab Tests
- ✓ Immunizations
- ✓ Vision/Hearing Screening
- Developmental and Behavioral Screening
- ✓ Advice on How to Keep Your Child Healthy

# Who is eligible for TENNderCare?

✓ All children, babies, teens, and young adults under the age of 21 on TennCare.

# Where do you receive TENNderCare screenings?

✓ Primary Care Provider (PCP)

✓ Health Department

### What is the Periodicity Schedule?

The Periodicity Schedule is a schedule

recommended by the American Academy of

Pediatrics (AAP) which indicates when

Screenings should be provided.

# TENNderCare Children and Adolescents Receive Services through:

- ✓ Managed Care Organizations (MCO)
  - Better Health Plans
    - BlueCare/ TennCare Select
      - John Deere Health Care
      - OmniCare Health Plan
      - Preferred Health Partnership
  - TLC Family Care Healthplan
  - VHP Community Care

# TENNderCare Children and Adolescents Receive Services through:

- ✓ Behavioral Health Organizations (BHO)
  - Premier Behavioral Systems of Tennessee
  - \*Tennessee Behavioral Health, Inc.

# TENNderCare Children and Adolescents Receive Services through:

- ✓ Other Organizations (DBM and PBM)
  - Doral Dental (Dental Benefit Manager)
  - First Health (Pharmacy Benefit Manager)

### Screenings- Seven Components

- 1. Comprehensive health and developmental history includes:
  - Physical
  - Behavioral/Developmental
  - Dental
- 2. Complete Unclothed Exam
  - Compare child's physical growth against what is considered normal for child's age
- 3. Lab Tests
  - Lead Blood test under the age of two and 12 to 24 months are assessed for lead risk at each visit. A follow up lab test is needed if determined high risk.

### Screenings- Seven Components

- 4. Immunizations-age appropriate and current status of shots
- 5. Hearing Screening-age appropriate
- 6. Vision Screening-age appropriate
- 7. Health Education
  - Anticipatory Guidance (car seat safety, sex education, smoking, etc.)
  - Counseling parents and child regarding child development
  - Child development, healthy lifestyle, accident, and disease prevention

### Interperiodic Screenings

✓ If a parent suspects a problem with his/her child, the child should be taken to the doctor.

✓ Any person (such as an educator, parent, or health professional) who suspects a problem may refer a child for an interperiodic screen.

# Call for Help!

✓ TennCare Hotline
✓ 1-800-669-1851
✓ 615-741-4800



## Limited English Proficiency (LEP)

#### **TennCare Refugee Advocacy Program**

- **Bosnian** 1-877-652-3069 or Nashville 313-9382
- Kurdish/Bandinani and Sorani 1-877-652-3046 or Nashville 313-9840
- Arabic 1-877-652-3046
- **Somali** 1-877-652-3054 or Nashville 313-9894
- **Vietnamese** 1-800-269-4901 or Nashville 313-9899

### Where do I call to get help with Mental Health services?

- ✓ TennCare Partners Advocacy Line
  - **√Toll Free 1-800-758-1638**
  - **✓ Nashville 313-9972**

- ✓ TennCare Consumer Advocacy Program
  - √Spanish 1-800-254-7568
  - ✓ English 1-800-722-7474

## Take the Quiz

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